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**OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

In re Application of :  
Armstrong et al. :  
Application No. 09/711,857 :  
Filed: November 13, 2000 :  
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S1401/7007 :

DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the Petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed October 5, 2001, to revive the above-identified application.

This Petition is hereby granted.

The application became abandoned for failure to timely and properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application ("Notice") mailed January 11, 2001. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice, which required the basic filing fee, additional claims fees, and an executed Oath/Declaration and late filing fee, oath or declaration. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on February 9, 2000. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on October 2, 2000.

Petitioner files the instant reply complying with the above-identified requirements.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-0014.

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